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Editorial Comment

WITH OTHER EDITORS

A LOAN THAT AIDS THE LENDER

From The New York Times

No peacetime loan, the United States Government has ever made can compare in importance with the one Congress is now considering. The Senate has already authorized and which is expected soon to be approved by the House. Public hearings and debates have made clear that the proposed loan is for what is call automobile British to buy needed articles of peacetime production in the United States. But it is not to be a gift. It is to be repaid, with interest, on terms that will be easy for the borrower. Because it is a loan to a friendly nation which has been our best customer, because it will help to keep factories and farms busy and workers employed, because the interest rate is low and the repayment period long, the loan is a sound investment.

Now there's something which goes to the heart of every American, and which isn't a cold dollar sign. It is the tremendous American good will toward Britain which was built up during the war years. Americans of all parties and all backgrounds were willing to spend blank manhours, machine-hours and money in the greatest cooperative effort in history. Now that the war is over, we have begun to forget what it all accomplished. Britain stood alone for a year against the Nazi war machine. Without that year of preparation, the United Nations could not have won the war. Without the help of Britain's allies, Britain could not have survived that year. Without the help of the United States, Britain could not have survived the years that followed. Without the help of the United States ought not to have survived. The United States ought to be willing to pay for that help. It ought to be willing to pay for it generously, more than once and more than twice.

These are the tangibles. There is also the powerful and precious intangible of better human relationships. This is not merely a matter, as it is sometimes put, of Britain being willing to do a favor to the United States in the hope that it will be returned. Nations are not grateful. Nations are prosperous, powerful, respected, feared, envied, but not grateful. Nations have entertained their benefactors with contempt. Nations have acknowledged their services with hatred. Nations have paid their debts with ingratitude and have canceled their obligations with a declaration of independence. Cooperation will continue, just as it has in the past, because it is in the interest of the United States that it should continue. But the decisive factor in the relationship between the United States ought to be the feeling that the United States ought to have for Britain. That feeling is far more than a matter of gratitude for past favors. It is a feeling based on the recognition that Britain is the one nation in the world which has stood with the United States in every crisis, more jobs and more

at when it aims are for veterans and their family. This bread upon the waters will come back to us.

NEWS TO CHEER ABOUT

From Winchester Star

There isn't much in the news that makes cheering reading these days. Most of it is distressing stories of hot, domestic squabbles, the increase in crime, international tension - such matters aren't calculated to induce peace of mind and contentment of body.

Any bit of news which helps to relieve the situation is noteworthy. For that reason attention is called to the statement of W. T. Grant, founder of the chain of stores which bear his name, that a flood of consumer goods is in the offing and that "the consumer should and will be the beneficiary of the coming battle among retailers for the consumer's dollar." Mr. Grant added:

"The customer's day is coming. In line after line, supply is catching up with demand. The shift from scarcity to plen y may cover another six months to a year, but it

Lchwood

...ood, July 10.- Mr. and ...on M. Capp spent the week ...ks for parents, Mr and Mrs. ...Harris.

...e visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. ... Friday evening were Mr. ...ps, R. P. Marsh and daugh...ette, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene ...and children, Loretta and ... Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wood... Thomas Woodall and Miss Peggy Vernon Marsh and ...arsh.

...are glad to hear that Thom... is improving after a re... illness.

...y Brannan motored to Rich... and back Sunday.

...T. T. Wooldridge is not ... this writing. We hope for ... speedy recovery.

...all Pugh and son, Lynn, vis... ...y, and Mrs. D. A. Pugh on ...

...Miss Patricia Marsh, from ...burg is visiting Mr. and Mrs. ... Pugh.

...M. E. Circle No. 1, of ... Baptist Church met in the ... of Mrs. B. H. Harvey Wed... afternoon.

...William Giles visited Mr. ... Edward Mann Sunday.

...s buying of meat may halt.

...League challenges right of ... Palestine.

...safe, drive carefully.

...scription rate: $1.50 a year, ...ble in advance.

...retail stores experiencing a ...age of sugar stocks.

Uncle Sam Says

United States Savings Bonds are ...because your coun... fighting enemy forces ...on as dollars are ... ...are unable to accomplish, ...many a inflation—run-away ...which can wreck you and your ... Every bond you buy today ...your country because ...investment in bonds ...dollars in a safe place ...competition for the still ...consumer goods.

U.S. Treasury Department

Lesson for J...

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JESUS AND ... LOYALTY ...

LESSON TEXT—Exo... 24, 16, 12-24; 14:21... MEMORY SELECTI... serve two masters; ... the one and love the ... hold to the one, and des... cannot serve God and ... 6:24.

The first three ... bring man into ... God, who here is ... worship God in spi...

The first comm... 20:3) holds us wrong ... sively; the second ... worship him spiritu... commandment forbi... ship false gods; the ... us to worship the ... false forms" (Farra...

We shall lose ma... of our lesson if we ... plication of it to ... the point if we th... gods of wood and s... heathen worship an... the truth to any ... ship of our day.

The loyalty to G... lesson text teache... married in four wa... ality of

I. Purpose (Exod...

Jehovah means, ... will be," or "I ... (Exod. 3:14). His ... clares God to be the ... eternal one. How im... then is the use of ... in Exodus 10:3? ... AM—is my God, a ... It must be our conc... worship him only.

There are many ... ing which we do no... locally. There are ... ing to some world... things they went ... earnest men may ... lar regarding God ... solute assurance an... clusiveness—there ... God. If he is what ... if God is not to be ... a liar, then it is be... of possibility that God ... any other God.

Hear it, men and ... ica who in an enlig... age bow down in ... ship "before the ... god of self, the g... god of success, the ... the goddess of pleas... licentiousness. "Th... says, "I am Jehovah ... have no other gods

II. Performance ...

What is in the h... the life. The ser... ment calls for the ... tion and worship ... expressly forbids ... form. The injunct... Men are forbidden ... material likeness ... he presents a being ... It matters not wh... image of what is re... be like, or the imag... being, a heavenly ... anything that is ... above," or on the ... man or animal, o... ter, such as a fish. ... jects have been ma... selves or others to ... down to them, nor ... ice to them. Let us ... religious ceremon... in which he said he was highly ... with the whole operation: ... with the bomb drop and with the ac... curacy of the bomb. There are sev... eral aboard the ship who saw the ... Nagasaki bomb drop and the drop ... at Los Alamos, N. M. They de... clared this bomb appeared to be ... smaller, judging from the flash and ... the atomic cloud which in the case ... of Nagasaki soared to a height of ... about 35,000 feet.

There is no doubt that the force of ... this terrible energy is like nothing ... ever known on earth before but ... the distances out here are so great ... that the energy was dispersed and ... dissipated over a vast area. For ... instance, at Nagasaki the area of ... total bomb damage was in six ... square miles, an area of about a ... mile and a half radius while the ... distance of the Nevada from the ... shore of Bikini lagoon was about ... three miles. And the lagoon itself is ... 10 miles across and 25 miles long. ... It must also be remembered that ... as this story is written for transa... mission in time to get it to you ... there has been no actual assessment ... of the damage. There may be ... more as we enter the lagoon and can ... visually assay the damage.

"GAY GADGETS"
Associated Newspapers—WNU Features.
By NANCY PEPPER
GROWING PAINS

With summer here, you go scurrying to that big box in which your last summer's clothes have spent a lonely winter. Eagerly you try on that cute pinafore, those dirndl skirts and cotton date dresses but either they've shrunk or you've stretched, and something has to be done. Well, here's how to do it.

Waist Not, Want Not — So the waistline of that dress or pinafore is too short? Just rip the skirt and waistband off and convert into a two-piece outfit. Then if you remember what kind of fuel you expended when you were cooking which arranged, how many a range you ate, where and how large the chicken bones you said. Remember, if you've been fed up with the waistline of that dress or pinafore is too short? Just rip the skirt and waistband off and convert into a two-piece outfit!